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**TWO-YEAR PLAN IN LOCOMOTIVES -- Rude Pravo, No 284, 5 Dec 48**

The locomotive works of the Skoda Plants state enterprise completed their two-year plan on 30 November. The Skoda workers produced a total of 251 locomotives in the two-year plan, ten of which were electric (four were freight locomotives for the Czechoslovak State Railways and six were for coal mines). The others were steam-operated locomotives. Among the steam locomotives is the most remarkable 498 series of express locomotives, as well as the 475.0 series of fast freight locomotives. Locomotives destined for export are now in production.

**COMPLETES TWO-YEAR PLAN FOR LATHES -- Rude Pravo, No 275, 25 Nov 48**

On President Gottwald's birthday, the automatic machines department of the Skoda Plants state enterprise in Pilsen completed its two-year plan for production of automatic lathes.

**METAL INDUSTRY FULFILLS TWO-YEAR PLAN -- Rude Pravo, No 283, 4 Dec 48**

According to an announcement of the Czechoslovak Foundries state enterprise, the two-year plan in the production of unfinished steel was fulfilled 102.8 percent in November. The Vitkovice ironworks fulfilled its plan 111.7 percent. The Spojene Ocelarny (United Steel Mills) achieved only 99.3 percent, and Mining and Forging, 95.3 percent.

The November plan in the production of pig iron was fulfilled only 89.2 percent. The Vitkovice ironworks attained 88.2 percent because they are repairing a blast furnace which they want to insert into the five-year plan completely and immediately. The United Steel Mills fulfilled their plan 104.2 percent, and Mining and Forging 81.8 percent. In Mining and Forging at Trinec the crane railroad to the fourth furnace is being repaired, and the new fifth furnace is not yet producing fully.

The November plan in rolled distribution goods was fulfilled only 99.7 percent. The Vitkovice ironworks fulfilled their plan 100.7 percent; Mining and Forging, 112.1 percent; and the United Steel Mills, only 85.9 percent.

**FOUNDRY PLANTS INCREASE OUTPUT -- Rude Pravo, No 272, 21 Nov 48**

Our foundry and metalworking plants are maintaining an increased tempo for the entire week. The Vitkovice ironworks filled their plan in the production of unfinished steel, second only to the sheet-metal rolling mill in Liskovec. The sheet-metal rolling mill in Liskovec produced 97½ tons of fine sheet metal on Tuesday, which represents the highest daily production in the entire history of the foundry since 1833.

**TWO-YEAR STEEL PRODUCTION PLAN COMPLETED -- Rude Pravo, No 273, 23 Nov 48**

The two-year plan for the production of unfinished steel was completed on 22 November.

The operational plan of the Spojene Ocelarny in the production of unfinished steel was fulfilled 118.4 percent on 21 November during the Week of Exemplary Labor; in the Vitkovice ironworks, 141.3 percent; and in the entire Czechoslovak Foundries, 104.6 percent.

**NEW PAPER MACHINE -- Prace, No 1, 1 Jan 49**

A new paper machine will be put into operation on 2 January in the plant

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of the Western Czech Paper Mills in Vraný nad Vltavou; in type and capacity, this machine is the only one of its kind in Czechoslovakia. It is a special machine for the production of fine papers, primarily cigarette papers, as well as technical and aircraft papers. The 210-centimeter gauge machine is notable for the fact that each rolling component has its own power, and that the entire machine is controlled at a distance merely by the pressing of buttons.

#### RESULTS IN FOUNDRY INDUSTRY -- Rude Pravo, No 287, 9 Dec 48

The Czechoslovak Foundries are working very intensively in the last month of the two-year plan, and they fulfilled the daily assignments of the two-year plan in the first 6 days of December as follows (in percent):

<u>State Enterprise</u>	<u>Pig Iron</u>	<u>Unfinished Steel</u>
Vitkovice Ironworks	86.3	109.6
Mining and Forging	78.2	88.8
Spojene Ocelarny	113.7	111.2
Average	88.4	103.1

#### FOUNDRY COMPLETES TWO-YEAR PLAN -- Rude Pravo, No 278, 28 Nov 48

The gray cast-iron foundry of the CKD-Vysocany state enterprise fulfilled its two-year plan on 27 November, thereby surpassing its supplementary plan by 3 days. The employees have achieved an output 30 percent greater than the previous highest output in 1937.

#### FOUNDRY FULFILLS TWO-YEAR PLAN -- Rude Pravo, No 288, 10 Dec 48

The gray and wrought cast-iron foundry of the Knotek plant in Jicin fulfilled its two-year plan on 30 November with the production of 4,216,214 castings from gray cast iron and 916,074 castings from wrought cast iron.

#### TWO-YEAR PLAN FULFILLMENTS -- Rude Pravo, No 288, 10 Dec 48

The Havel forge in Brany fulfilled its two-year plan 104 percent on 2 December.

The Central Slovak Ironworks state enterprise in Kostelec nad O. [possibly "Orlici"], and the Tesla state enterprise factory in Vrchlabi, have also fulfilled their two-year plan.

#### KLADNO MILLS FULFILL TWO-YEAR PLAN -- Rude Pravo, No 296, 19 Dec 48

The steel mills of the Poldina Foundry in Kladno have fulfilled their two-year plan. They intend to achieve 102.2 percent of the plan by the end of this year.

#### ELECTRICAL PLANTS FULFILL TWO-YEAR PLAN -- Rude Pravo, No 288, 10 Dec 48

The plants of the Moravian Electrotechnical Plants, state enterprise, in Medvedice fulfilled their two-year plan 4 December. The Medvedice plants produce 0.5-25-kilowatt electric motors.

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SIGNAL FACTORY COMPLETES TWO-YEAR PLAN -- Rude Pravo, No 304, 30 Dec 48

The Elektrosignal Factory in Holesovice has announced the completion of its two-year plan on 23 December. The plan was fulfilled 101.7 percent.

TESLA II COMPLETES TWO-YEAR PLAN -- Rude Pravo, No 284, 5 Dec 48

The Tesla II state enterprise in Kolin fulfilled its two-year plan 70 percent in October. By increasing their output, the employees succeeded in completing their two-year plan on 4 December.

BRICKYARD FULFILLS TWO-YEAR PLAN -- Rude Pravo, No 289, 11 Dec 48

The Kreysa Brickyard in Stankov has recently fulfilled its two-year plan. Despite numerous difficulties, the employees succeeded in fulfilling their assignment in brick production by 105 percent, and in the tile production by 150 percent. The brickyard will remain in operation during the winter months to fulfill the increased requirements of the first year of the five-year plan.

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